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**Subject:** RE: Funding for immediate needs at the Gold King Mine

All:

We need to fund additional dollars to ERRS. We're thinking that after yesterday's expenses (\$540,000), we will put \$1,000,000 on the ERRs contract to continue the Gold King Mine response work. These are existing RV dollars so no change in the dollars is needed. Thank you,  
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Based on various conversations and coordinations, we are proceeding with funding of the following immediate needs from our existing Removal (RV) dollars. We have also initiated discussions with HQ for additional payroll and response funding needs, which we are coordinating with Regions 6 and 9. Funding for San Juan County and Cities of Silverton and Durango will be negotiated and funded in the near future, if needed.

La Plata County letter contract for Technical Support (through Colorado Block grant) for \$200,000 (Ben's shop will change dollars from contracts to grants)

ER Travel funding for \$100,000 (Ben's shop will change dollars from contracts to travel)

START funding for \$240,000 (no change in dollars required; Joyce to initiate PR)